AP European History Textbook Adoption

Committee Members and Recommendation

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Western Civilization- Since 1300. 10th edition (AP edition) by Jackson Spielvogel

Publisher: Cengage Learning

Committee Commendations:

- Most popular, #1 preferred textbook among AP European History students AND teachers according to online community forum polls.
- Updated to the most recent format of College Board's AP exam expectations, including Key Concepts and Course Themes.
- Key Concepts and Course Themes are outlined in the book with a reference page for locating concepts and themes within the course content.
- Several Primary and Secondary Sources in each chapter with guided reading questions that align with each Course Theme.
- Colorful maps and graphs to accompany and illustrate primary and secondary sources.
- Test banks available for download for each chapter and historical period, formatted according to the AP exam with stimulus based multiple choice questions and essay prompts.
- PowerPoint slides available for download for each chapter.
- Addresses Common Core Standards through use of alaysis of primary and secondary sources, as well as the use of art (visual and literary fiction) for analytical purposes.
- Supplementary teacher Planning Guide includes pacing, guided questions, and lesson plan ideas.

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